

20 ENTOMBED MINERS RESCUED ALIVE

Rescued Ones Tell Thrilling Story of Suffering and Heroism

GLAVIS TAKES STAND IN LAND FRAUD CASE

By Associated Press
SEATTLE, Nov. 20.—L. R. Glavis, former chief of the field work of the general land office, who was removed by President Taft, was the witness today in the government inquiry into the validity of the Cunningham coal land claims in Alaska. He was merely called to identify a letter written by the government attorney, telling the latter that a conference was unnecessary, as the government was in possession of all the evidence gathered by Glavis. The government continued the introduction of evidence to show that the filing on 5280 acres of coal land, valued at \$50,000,000, was for the purpose of consolidation.

BAN PLACED ON BIG FIGHT IN COLORADO

(By Associated Press.)
DENVER, Nov. 17.—Governor John F. Shafroth said today that he would not allow under any circumstances the holding of the Jeffries-Johnson fight anywhere in Colorado. Reports that a syndicate was being formed by Pueblo and Denver fighting men to bid for the fight were called to the governor's attention. The laws of Colorado emphatically prohibit prize fighting and make punishable any violation by incarceration in the penitentiary, he said. "I cannot sanction any violation of the law permitting a fight that would give Colorado a bad reputation."

TARSITANO FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER

After an argument to the jury lasting for more than two hours by District Attorney Woodburn and his assistant, Attorney Moore, and one three hours in length without interruption by the attorneys for the defense, Moran and Glynn, yesterday afternoon and last night in the Tarsitano murder trial, the case went to the jury at 10:30 o'clock. Until midnight that body deliberated upon the evidence, when it re-

"I Have Eaten a Plug of Tobacco, Wax from Lamps, Bark from Posts and Some of My Shoes," Writes One of the Survivors.

Twice Daily Leader of Party Conducted Religious Services to Cheer His Comrades--Fire Breaks Out Anew Cutting Off Rescue Work.

By Associated Press
CHERRY, Ill., Nov. 20.—A hysteria of hope followed hard upon the deepest despair here today when 20 miners, who were entombed in the St. Paul mine a week ago, almost to an hour, were brought to the surface alive. The story of the men's sufferings and the heroism and resourcefulness of their leaders, is one of the most thrilling in the black history of mining disasters. At dawn stretchers carried by men were moving from the mouth of the pit to the improvised morgue with bodies that were burned and scorched almost beyond human resemblance. Forty bodies had been brought up, most of which were identified, when the words: "They've found them alive," sent the great throng almost insane, and in great hope they surged to the pit.

It took six hours to bring the survivors to the surface. In the meantime a report that 70 more were alive in the far recesses of the mine led to a search that lasted until late tonight, but no others were found alive. One by one the rescued men were carried between the lines of mothers, wives and children, who gazed at the faces of the survivors as they passed, looking for the face of some loved one, who had been mourned for seven days as dead. Women who could not get close enough to see for themselves, held up children, telling them to "Look for papa as they pass." Many mothers and wives held out their arms, calling the names of their dear ones and crying, "Are you there, speak to me."

The sufferings of the men are best told in a letter that Joe Pigatti wrote, leaving his property to his wife in case the rescuers failed to come in time. The letter said: "This is the fourth day we have been down here. I think it is the fourth, but our watches have all stopped. I am writing in the dark because we have been eating the wax from the safety lamps. I have also eaten one plug of tobacco, the bark from the posts and some of my shoes. I could only chew it. This is my will and you must keep it. You have been a good wife. May the Holy Virgin guard you. I hope this reaches you some time and that you can read it. I am not afraid to die."

The highest praise is given by the survivors to William Clelland. Twice daily he conducted religious services. His favorite hymn, the words of which even the foreigners picked up, was "Abide With Me." Twice daily Clelland delivered a cheering sermon to the men. "Keep up your hearts, lads, God is with us. Don't despair. Others have been shut off from the light of day as we are, and in God's good time came out alive. Keep up your courage." Then would rise the strains of the hymn "Abide with me, fast falls eventide, the darkness deepens, Lord abide with me." Th men almost died of thirst before one thought of sucking the moisture off the lumps of coal. The breaking down of coal to get the precious drops of water was the sound that led the rescuers to the imprisoned men.

ALMA BELL WILL TAKE WITNESS STAND MONDAY

By Associated Press
AUBURN, Nov. 20.—Alma Bell will probably take the stand herself Monday to tell the story by which the defense hopes to establish that the slaying of Joe Arnes was not murder, but a just retribution such as should be sanctioned by the unwritten law. The defense is expected to shape the examination of the young woman in such a way as to leave no loophole for the prosecution to attack the girl's character. Attorney Chamberlain promised in his statement that the defense will show that Alma Bell and Joe Arnes were engaged in 1908, and that therefore she had a right to kill him when he refused to shelter her from disgrace by keeping his promise. The prosecution will seek to prove that Alma was engaged to three other men.

formerly, and this cuts a big hole in the stocks. The entry of the Cobalt mine in Canada as a producer of silver to the extent of 20,000,000 ounces a year, has been an important factor in keeping the price down, as those understand who appreciate the merits of that locality; it is quite evident that this section of Canada is good for a life of at least ten or fifteen years, with an average output of about 20,000,000 ounces of silver for that time.

WORLD'S SILVER PRODUCTION FOR CURRENT YEAR

A rough estimate of the production of silver throughout the world for the twelve months ending December, 1908, shows an output of approximately 200,000,000 ounces of silver, an increase of 17,000,000 ounces over the production for the year 1907. Irrespective of the declining tendency of the price for the white metal, it is believed that the production for 1909 will show at least 215,000,000, most of the increase coming from Mexico and Canada. In fact, the prospective actual output of the Cobalt mines has largely influenced the present market price of this metal. In addition the silver production of Australia gives indications of becoming more and more of a factor in the world's silver history, as the mineral resources of that territory are being developed.

The Mexican output of silver is also constantly on the increase, and while there is not the profit for those handling silver in Mexico as there is in Cobalt, still there is enough in it to mine it, particularly when it occurs in conjunction with gold or copper ores, and does not of itself have to bear the brunt of the cost of operations. Elsewhere silver is principally a by-product resulting from the smelting and refining of lead and copper ores, and so long as the great demand for lead and copper exists there is no probability of a decrease in the quantity of silver derived from this source. The average price of silver for the nine months of the current year has been 52 cents per ounce. With only India and China as large purchasers it is not probable that there will be any permanent natural advance in the price of silver.

The United States discontinued the purchase of silver for subsidiary coinage in February last, and is not likely to be a purchaser for several months to come, as there is in the treasury an ample stock to supply the demand for an indefinite period. For neat printing try the Bonanza job department.

HARVARD TEAM GOES DOWN TO DEFEAT BEFORE YALE

Blues Defeat Crimson by Score of 8 to 0--Two Field Goals and a Safety do the Work.

By Associated Press
CAMBRIDGE, Nov. 20.—The splendid kicking of Captain Edward H. Coy brought the eastern football championship to Yale today in an old-fashioned game in which Harvard went down to defeat by a score of 8 to 0. Driving the crimson team steadily back by long punts, Captain Coy dropped two goals from the field, and the aggressive forwards of the Yale team contributed two more points by blocking a Harvard punt which resulted in a safety. The game was a distinct disappointment from the Harvard standpoint, for the crimson showed greater power than the blue in straight

rushing, and at one time carried the ball 53 yards in four scrimmages. Yale's policy seemed to be to rely upon Captain Coy's kicking, and only twice did Yale seriously threaten the crimson goal line by straight rushing. In both cases the Harvard defense stopped their progress at the eleven yard line, and the efforts of Coy at field goals failed after the safety had been made. With the ball on Harvard's 25 yard line, Coy stepped back ten yards, and made a clean field goal. In the second half Harvard was driven back to the 22 yard line, and again Coy kicked a goal, making the score Yale 8, Harvard 0. Nearly 40,000 people witnessed the game.

SENDS BULLET INTO BODY WHEN MOTHER SCOLDS

PHOENIX, Ariz., Nov. 17.—Connie German, the 16-year-old daughter of Mrs. Taylor of this city, shot and killed herself today. She had disobeyed her mother by joining a tarantula hunting party. When she returned her mother threatened to call in a neighbor to hear her scolded. "If you do I'll kill myself," said the girl. Mrs. Taylor called a neighbor, and the girl seized a revolver and sent a bullet into her breast.

FATHER WAS "WISE" TO GAME

A student at the university of Pennsylvania had been going a fast pace with the boys of his class and fraternity and had frequent interviews with father concerning debts and other financial troubles occasioned by the drain his pleasures had made on his source of supply. Several times the "governor" had been compelled to get various articles back from the boy's "uncle," and the relation of provider and spender was strained. One day the student wired father that his watch had fallen into deep water in the Schuylkill river and he wanted "at once" \$25 to hire a diver to recover it. The answer came as follows: "Nothing on the \$25. Cheaper to soak the watch where it is." An ad in the Bonanza is sure to bring results.

TES FROM THE GOVERNMENT

By Associated Press
LOS ANGELES, Nov. 20.—Accused of appropriating money belonging to the government, T. J. Manihan, deputy internal revenue collector of San Francisco, was arrested today on a warrant sworn out by federal authorities. He is said to have admitted that the charges are correct, and will return voluntarily to face them. His bail was fixed at \$1500.

RESULT OF GRIDIRON BATTLES IN THE EAST

New York—Brown 21, Carlisle Indians 8.
Minneapolis—Michigan 15, Minnesota 6.
Chicago—Chicago 6, Wisconsin 6.
Syracuse—Illinois University 17, Syracuse 8.
Denver—Nebraska 6, Denver 5.

JUDGE HAS COURT OPENED WITH PRAYER

The Searchlight Bulletin says that the first session of the district court of Clark county was ushered in with prayer. Judge Brown in preliminary remarks stated that while the court recognized no connection between church and state, he felt it altogether fitting and proper upon this notable occasion in the history of Clark county that they who were to convene its first district court should call upon the supreme court of the universe for light and guidance. He then introduced Rev. Harry Gray of the Episcopal church, and the assemblage stood with bowed heads while the invocation was pronounced.

UNIFORM RANK FORMED AT ELY

The Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, of Ely, which formed several weeks ago, was mustered in Friday evening. This makes the fourth company in this state. The new outfit has 48 members and will engage in the competitive drill at the next session of the grand lodge, which will be held in Goldfield next June.

STEAMER SIGHTS SUBMERGED WRECK OF NOURMAHL

By Associated Press
TAMPA, Fla., Nov. 20.—That the submerged wreck sighted by the German steamer Wotan today is Colonel John Jacob Astor's yacht Nourmahl, is the general belief of shipping men here. No other boat is known to have been in the path of the recent storm in Jamaican waters, and none are missing or unaccounted for.

WINS FIRST PRIZE IN DOLL DRESSING CONTEST

Miss Abby Stratton, who is employed at the Shop of Swellom, yesterday received word from the San Francisco Examiner that she had won the first prize, offered for dressing two dolls. The contest has been going on for some time and the fact that a girl from this city has proven the winner, shows that the Tonopah young ladies know a few things about the dressmakers' art.

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PASSENGERS HAVE NARROW ESCAPE ON BURNING STEAMER

Steamer St. Croix Burns to Water's Edge While En Route from Los Angeles to San Francisco.

By Associated Press
LOS ANGELES, Nov. 20.—The steamer City of Topeka arrived at Redondo at 8 o'clock this evening and reported passing the burning hulk of the steamer St. Croix, three miles off Point Duma, near Santa Monica, about 5 o'clock this evening. Not a soul of the 100 passengers or crew was visible about the wreck. The Topeka was a mass of flames, and the City of Topeka was unable to approach very close. No life boats or rafts were in sight, but the passengers and crew may have escaped to the shore. Considerable wreckage was floating about the burning vessel.

The St. Croix had blown up before taking fire, and that all on board had perished, the anxiety was relieved at 11 o'clock by a message from First Officer Mills of the St. Croix, saying that all were safe on shore at Point Duma. Owing to the inaccessibility, and isolation from telegraph or telephone, the point being many miles from the nearest ranch house, many parties have sent out automobiles to seek relatives known to have been on the steamer. None of them have as yet returned and details as to the cause of the wreck and the experience of those on board are totally lacking.

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For a wet case, the suit of Louis Irwin versus J. C. Tognini, concerning water rights in the Duckwater district, is about the driest trial that has been heard in the district court for many a day. The examination of witnesses is progressing rather slowly, and it will probably be several weeks yet before the case is submitted to the court. In the old days, finding a hair in the butter wasn't so bad, because you usually knew where the hair came from, but in these days of switches, phony curls and paid-for tresses, such a discovery has limitless terrors.

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